

Compliance Coordinator
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**NPDES PERMIT #NV0024228 – DISCHARGE MONITORING REPORTS
3RD QUARTER 2017
WEIR CONSTRUCTION DEWATERING TREATMENT
NEVADA ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSE TRUST, HENDERSON, NEVADA**

Dear Compliance Coordinator:

October 26, 2017

As required by the Finding and Order issued on April 12, 2016 by the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP), Bureau of Industrial Site Cleanup (BISC), the Nevada Environmental Response Trust (NERT or the Trust) maintains NPDES Permit #NV0024228 for discharge of perchlorate-treated water near the Las Vegas Wash (LVW) that will be extracted during dewatering activities associated with construction of two weirs (the Sunrise Mountain Weir and the Historic Lateral Weir) by the Southern Nevada Water Authority (SNWA) in the Henderson, Nevada area.

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NDEP, Bureau of Water Pollution Control (BWPC) recently issued NPDES Permit #NV0024228 on August 11, 2017 and the permit became effective on August 14, 2017. This report is the first submittal under the recently issued permit and covers activities conducted in 3rd Quarter 2017 between August 14 and September 30.

During the reporting period, construction of the pump stations and treatment plant continued, including earthwork, pouring of concrete pad foundations, placement of liners and backfill, procurement of long-lead equipment items (i.e., cyclone, multimedia filters, and the ion exchange units), and pipeline layout. A system readiness date of January 1, 2018 has been established.

Because the treatment system is currently under construction, there was no discharge during this reporting period. Ramboll Environ US Corporation (Ramboll Environ), on behalf of the Trust, has submitted DMRs for August and September 2017 via the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) NetDMR system per the Subscriber Agreement approved on October 3, 2017. All of the DMRs for this reporting period (August and September 2017) indicate No Discharge.

Section A.6.1 of the NPDES permit requires the first DMR submitted under this permit to include a written designation of the representative authorized to sign the DMRs. This letter of authorization is included as Attachment 1.

Should you have any questions concerning this report, please contact Kimberly Kuwabara at (510) 420-2525 or kkuwabara@ramboll.com.

Yours Sincerely,



Kimberly Kuwabara, MS

Senior Manager

CEM #2353, expires 3/20/19

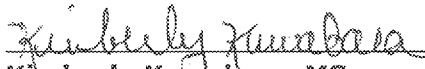
Attachments

Attachment 1: Letter of Authorization and CEM Designation

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Nikita Lingenfelter, Bureau of Water Pollution Control, NDEP
Joe Maez, Bureau of Water Pollution Control, NDEP
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Allan J. DeLorme, Ramboll Environ
John Pekala, Ramboll Environ
Dan Pastor, Tetra Tech, Inc.

**NPDES Permit NV0024228 – 3rd Quarter 2017 DMRs
CEM Certification****Responsible Certified Environmental Manager (CEM) for this project**

I hereby certify that I am responsible for the services described in this document and for the preparation of this document. The services described in this document have been provided in a manner consistent with the current standards of the profession and, to the best of my knowledge, comply with all applicable federal, state and local statutes, regulations and ordinances.



Kimberly Kuwabara, MS
Senior Manager

10/26/2017

Date

Certified Environmental Manager
Ramboll Environ US Corporation
CEM Number: 2353
CEM Expiration Date: March 20, 2019

ATTACHMENT 1
LETTER OF AUTHORIZATION AND CEM DESIGNATION

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**Subject: Letter of Authorization and CEM Designation
NPDES Permit #NV0024228**

Dear NPDES Compliance Coordinator:

The Nevada Environmental Response Trust (NERT or the Trust) maintains NPDES Permit #NV0024228 for discharge of perchlorate-treated water near Las Vegas Wash that will be extracted during dewatering activities associated with weir construction by Southern Nevada Water Authority (SNWA).

This letter serves as a written Letter of Authorization to authorize Ramboll Environ US Corporation (Ramboll Environ), as the Trust's consultant and authorized representative, to submit and sign monitoring reports and other submittals associated with the subject NPDES Permit on behalf of the Trust.

Section A.6.1 of the recently issued permit states "The first DMR submitted under this permit must include the written designation of the certified operator required by Section C, *Signatures, Certification Required on Application and Reporting Forms*, as the authorized representative to sign the DMRs." Given that this is the first DMR submitted under NPDES Permit #NV0024228, this letter serves as written notification to designate Kimberly Kuwabara (Nevada CEM 2353, exp. 3/20/2019) and John Pekala (Nevada CEM 2347, exp. 9/20/2018) of Ramboll Environ as the primary and secondary CEMs, respectively.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, feel to contact me at (702) 960-4305 or at andrew.steinberg@lepetomaneinc.com.

Office of the Nevada Environmental Response Trust



Andrew W. Steinberg, not individually but solely as
Vice-President of Le Petomane XXVII Inc., not individually but
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